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The Honorable Willis W. Bradley U. S. House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Bradley:

Pursuant to our recent conversation, I am returning herewith the enclosures to your letter of 17 May 1947, addressed to me and having reference to the activities of

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Sincerely yours,

/s/ RHH

A. H. HILLENKOETTER
Rear Admiral, USN
Director of Central Intelligence

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believes his organization beling allowed to carry of Korea, or in Siberia, and	rom this correspondence that  n is being discriminated against i but certain activities in Russian i that he feels that the group he is better fitted tigations than any other group of	occupied represents, to
While I make 1	no pretence of being acquainted wi	th the
	emen of the Central Intelligence G	
being confronted, it may	he of interest to you to know tha	t I have
been acquainted with	for some fourteen yea	
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thoroughly reliable person	onally and quite accurate in his p	redictions.
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I became Capta	ain of the Yard (Navy Yard) Pearl	Harbor in
1933 and shortly thereaf	ter met	25X1
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benefit of the American	government. As I recall it, I for	warded
several such reports to	the Office of Naval Intelligence i	n Washington,
	which followed I have been in almo	
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It is my belief, therefore, that he is to be relied upon to a very great degree, in fact, I should say that his integrity is unquestioned.

Will you kindly return the enclosures to me after they have served their purpose.

Sincerely,

/s/ Willis W. Bradley

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